## **Hamilton Grange**

National Park Service
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## Caribbean Day at Hamilton Grange

Hamilton's Caribbean

Saturday June 21, 2014 11:00AM-4:00PM

Can you feel the rhythm? You will!

June is Caribbean-American Heritage Month! Join the National Park Service Rangers at Hamilton Grange National Memorial to honor United States founding father and Caribbean immigrant Alexander Hamilton! Enjoy stories and move to the melodies of the island nations, including Alexander Hamilton's birthplace of Nevis and boyhood home of St. Croix.

Since the 16th century, the people of the Caribbean and the North American mainland have been inextricably linked. In June 2005, the White House has issued an annual proclamation recognizing June as Caribbean-American Heritage Month. Come enjoy Hamilton Grange in a different way and learn how this Caribbean-American shaped the United States!

## **Event Schedule**

11:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Interpretive Station: Colonial Games

11:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Face Painting

11:00-12:00 Speaking in Rhythms Music

(children's ensemble)

12:00-1:00 PM Caribbean Stories and Music from the

Caribbean April Armstrong

1:00-2:00 Caribbean Music Alva Anderson

2:00-3:00 Manhattan School for Children Caribbean Story Telling

3:00-4:00 Garifuna Dance Company

4:30 p.m. closing for Caribbean programs



Plan Your Visit

Hamilton Grange National Memorial, located in St. Nicholas Park on 141st Street between St. Nicholas and Convent avenues, is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday. The visitor center (bookstore, exhibits, restrooms) is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Visitation to the historically furnished floor is limited to 15 people at any time. Ranger-led and self-guided options are available.

There are numerous ways to get to Hamilton Grange using public transportation. Visit www.mta.info for more information and maps.

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